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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Chief, Network Systems Engineering Group/DE/OIT

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VIA:

Chief, National Systems Group/DE/OIT

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FROM:

DESIST Program Manager

SUBJECT: Letter of Appreciation

     1. Representatives from Data Base Management Division of Network Systems Engineering Group have been participating in a cooperative venture with National Systems Group to test and establish the Structure Query Language/Data System (SQL/DS) as the new data base management system for the Decision Support and Information System for Terrorism (DESIST).

     2. The project has proven successful in a test environment, and will become the production data base management system on DESIST in January 1986.

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     3. As the DESIST Program Manager I would like to extend my appreciation to [   ] for their work on this project. These individuals exhibited the knowledge, willingness, and skills which allowed this system to come production. Both worked many long hours preparing for and running benchmarks to demonstrate the SQL/DS system as a viable solution to the problems that had been experienced on the DESIST system.

     4. Please convey our appreciation and gratitude to these deserving individuals for their consistently professional attitude and enthusiasm. Their courteous cooperative efforts are another example of the high caliber of performance that contributes to the satisfaction of the mission of the Intelligence Community.

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